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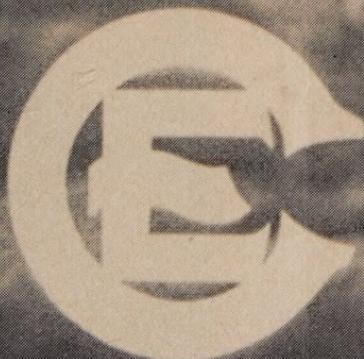
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The Cover . . .

One of the multitude of events in Illinois during Christian Endeavor Week was a Christian Endeavor press club banquet Saturday evening at Gano Reformed Church in Chicago. Arch J. McQuilkin, International Society president, was featured at events throughout the week. With him at the banquet are Pat Maple (left), Peoria president, and Veva C. Steen, Illinois president.

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- 15-16 — Ontario Leadership Training Conference, North of Bruce
- 22-24 — Middle Atlantic Regional Conference, Reading, Pennsylvania

"Standing By "

These are the days of maintenance, protection, and betterment as applied to all assets and values worth keeping.

Apply this in the home church, where Christian Endeavor societies, at several levels, are traditional. Are these societies maintained in close relationship to the total program of the church? No department or function of a church should be taken for granted or left wholly under the guidance and protection of a few adult helpers.

The church has enough sound experience with benefits of Christian Endeavor to children, youth, and the church of the future to maintain and develop this portion of the program. Let there be, then, a continuing committee of adults—ready and alert to confer on opportunities and progress with pastor, volunteer adult counselors and superintendents, and youth members. Let them be ready to lend their aid and advice to promoting and improving the Christian Endeavor programs, in close cooperation with the pastor and others. Let the committee be aware of interdenominational opportunities and activities in which the church's own children and youth may share.

Sponsoring adults will not expect weekly participation in Christian Endeavor work and activities. The group will "stand by" in an advisory capacity. How much fine help and encouragement they may provide quietly in this relationship!

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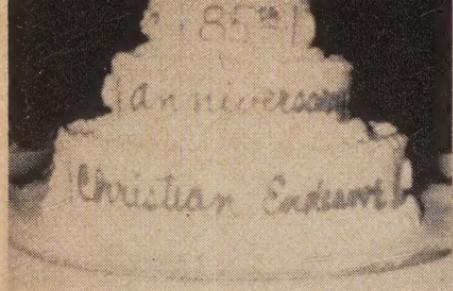
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THIS CAKE in honor of the 85th birthday was the center of attraction at the Richmond (Virginia) Banquet February 11. The cake was donated by Phyllis G. Brown. Alice C. Goodman, who served as toastmistress, took the photo.

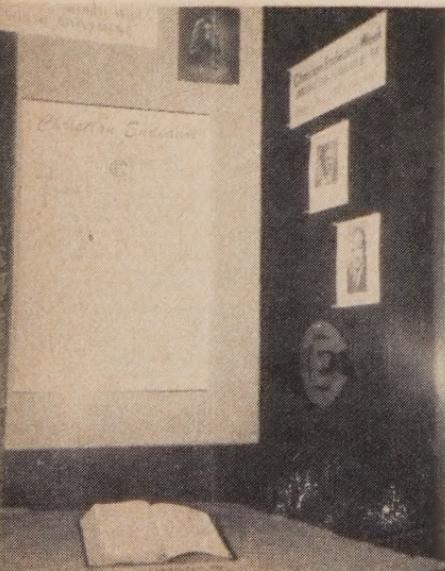
85 YEARS ALIVE!

Christian Endeavor Week 1966 brought wintry weather and lots of snow to many areas, causing cancellation or curtailment of activities.

As Mrs. Mae Sue Wynn, president of the Varick Christian Endeavor, Zion Temple A.M.E. Zion Church, Madisonville, Kentucky, reported: "All activities at our church were canceled the week of January 30-February 6 due to 12 below zero weather. However, we had the worship service with a small number in attendance." In Alexandria, Virginia, the societies of First Christian Fellowship Church had to cancel their birthday banquet due to two feet of snow; the junior

A WINDOW DISPLAY at Thalhimers, largest downtown department store in Richmond, was prepared by Virginia Endeavorers to tell the Christian Endeavor story.

Photo by Alice C. Goodman



high and senior high societies did take complete charge of the evening service on February 6 with 125 participating.

Winter weather was no problem to Endeavorers of Elmslie United Church, in Georgetown, Grand Cayman, West Indies. Noel A. Johnson, president, reports a whole week of activities including an all-day conference at East End on February 1 which featured visitation, a children's hour, and an open-air service. There was a banquet February 2, a service at West Bay United Church on February 3, a consecration service February 4, and a hike to the "Pines" West Bay Beach on February 5.

The youth of Boulevard Evangelical Congregational Church in Allentown, Pennsylvania, also had a week-long series of events including participation in Sunday and Wednesday services and a party with other groups as guests, when the film "What Price Freedom" was shown.

Societies Combine

In many churches societies of various age groups combined to observe the Week. The four societies of Central Tabernacle, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, planned and conducted the prayer service February 2 and the evening service February 6, plus a birthday party Saturday night. The Wednesday evening service dealt with missions; youth presented the topic, adults the music, and junior highs served as ushers.



FIVE SOCIETIES from Primary to Adult age at Memorial Church in Atascadero, California, are represented in the above photo. Each group participated in the Sunday evening birthday celebration — the high school and college age youth decorated the room; juniors led the song service; primaries had the devotional; adults, games; and junior highs, refreshments. The cake was decorated by Mrs. Agnes Wedlake.

At Beverly Hills United Presbyterian Church, Upper Darby, Pennsylvania, the intermediate, senior, and Pohco societies held a parents' night at their February 6 meetings, each group presenting a typical program showing projects and activities. The three societies also conducted the evening service.

The junior, intermediate, and senior societies of Miles Avenue Church of Christ, Cleveland, Ohio, combined to conduct the entire Sunday service on February 6. The sermon was given by Kenneth Lanza on the subject "The Problem of Zombis"; he is the youth preacher of 1966 for the church.

Dian Vander Molen, society president of First Reformed Church in Kalamazoo, Michigan, reports that the junior high, senior, and post high school societies participated in Sunday morning church services and held a birthday potluck supper with 175 attending.

Banquets and Parties

Many groups planned banquets and birthday parties. The Allen Christian Endeavor Fellowship of Smith Chapel A.M.E. Church in Dallas, Texas, took

charge of a special program which was followed by a fellowship hour.

Endeavorers of Doe Run United Presbyterian Church of Mortonsville, Pennsylvania, sponsored a covered dish supper and service; these young people also took charge of the morning worship with Gloria Sammons, Penny Newlin, and Fonda Mercer giving the sermon.

The young people of First Christian Church of Seagoville, Texas, and the Christian Endeavor societies of Coats Grove Christian Church, Hastings, Michigan, also held parties.

Many participated in evangelistic meetings. The youth of Northbrook United Brethren in Christ Church of Cincinnati, Ohio, led the devotions during revival services as well as making posters and providing special music. Four new members signed the pledge during the Week.

The junior high Endeavorers of the United Brethren in Christ Church of Ypsilanti took charge of a revival service one night during the Week; after the service there was a period of fellowship with youth from other churches.



A SPECIAL feature of Arch McQuilkin's presidential tour of Illinois during Christian Endeavor Week was the distribution of hundreds of his photos to youth, who stood in line like these at the Chicago banquet for autographs.

THE THERMOMETER stood at a cold 13° but this did not deter Peoria Endeavorers from decorating cars for a Saturday afternoon witness parade. Ten cars participated — the maximum allowed by police. All were decorated with red and white crepe paper and Christian Endeavor signs; they were permitted to use their horns as they drove around so much attention was attracted.

THE PRESIDENT IN ILLINOIS



PRESIDENT ARCH and Steve Lindstrom, Peoria birthday week chairman, ready for the parade. Over 200 attended the Peoria banquet Friday evening. Very bad weather kept Mr. McQuilkin from reaching Illinois for meetings in Morrison and Granite City, but he did participate in activities in Sangamon County, the Peoria area, and Chicago.

THESE YOUTH from Springfield and Peoria journeyed to Chicago by chartered bus for the Saturday evening banquet. Chicago Union featured Mr. McQuilkin at a rally Sunday afternoon, February 6, at St. Paul's Union Church.



MORE BIRTHDAY REPORTS

Drama was a part of the Week's celebration, too. Members of the Players Guild of the Allen Christian Endeavor Fellowship of St. John A.M.E. Church in Montgomery, Alabama, presented the play, "What Is Wrong with the Youth?"

Union Activities

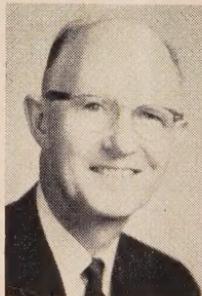
There were numerous union and area meetings. The Christian Endeavorers of First Reformed Church, Lynden, Washington, participated in a Northwest Area rally with 180 present. These youth also took part in the morning church service; the youth choir of 80 members sang and three young people gave five minute talks.

In Pennsylvania, the Delaware County Union and the West Branch Union of Philadelphia County joined together for a banquet in Rutledge, Pennsylvania, with 240 participating. Dr. John W. Cawood was the speaker.

Youth of Crestview United Brethren Church, Lafayette, Indiana, sponsored a rally for local societies February 6.

A variety of other activities included window displays like that in the Christian Book Store of Butler, Pennsylvania, featuring Christian Endeavor materials and mementoes. Butler County Endeavorers also participated in a half hour radio broadcast over Station WISR February 5.

MEET THE 1966 CITIZENSHIP AWARDS JUDGES



For Society Entries

From left —
Mrs. Hope F. Norris
James L. Gaupp
H. Jack Jones

Among those judging society entries in the 1966 Citizenship Awards Program are James L. Gaupp and H. Jack Jones, both Columbus (Ohio) civic and Christian leaders. The third judge, Mrs. Hope Finfrock Norris, makes her home in Austin, Texas. Mr. Gaupp is district manager of Williams & Company, Inc., and is active in Central Presbyterian Church where he is an elder and trustee. He is a former president of Chartiers Branch of the Allegheny County (Pennsylvania) Christian Endeavor Union. Mr. Jones is currently editor of PROTESTANT PROTOCOL, called "A Newspaper for the Protestant Church in Action." He has had special college courses in radio and television, drama, journalism, and public relations. He is very active at North Broadway Methodist Church where, with his wife, he chairs the Membership and Evangelism Commission. Mrs. Norris is active in University Christian Church (Disciples of Christ). She has held numerous Christian Endeavor positions in Texas and has also sponsored societies in Texas and in Washington, D.C. With her husband she served in missionary work in Santo Domingo for 14 years. She is currently a member of the International Society Executive Committee.

Grand Rapids (Michigan) Endeavorers took part in a television program.

The Endeavorers of Alameda First Christian Church of Albuquerque, New Mexico, invited the youth of North Albuquerque Christian Church to be guests at a birthday dinner.

Juniors Participated

The juniors of Ridgewood Presbyterian Church, Ridgewood, New York, had a special program after their weekly Friday afternoon meeting February 4. The juniors of Chesterfield Christian Church of Des Moines, Iowa, took part in Sunday school and morning worship services February 6 and also on the evening of February 7 had a reception with 66 present.



Photo by Alice C. Goodman

YOUTH SPEAKERS at the February 6 worship service of Village Presbyterian Church, Richmond, Virginia, included these Endeavorers — (from left) Brenda Miller, Judy Hart, Susan Kaufelt, and Stella Harper.

AWARDS PROGRAM JUDGES

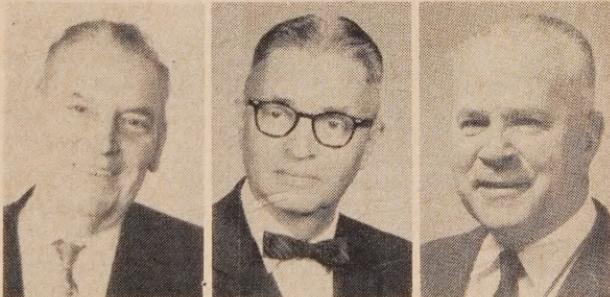
For Individual Entries

From left —

Dr. Robert J. Wherry, Sr.

Rev. Lewis C. Berger

C. Carlton Hartley



Judges for the individual competition in the 1966 Citizenship Awards Program are all civic and Christian leaders in Columbus, Ohio. Rev. Lewis C. Berger is the executive director of the Ohio Council on Alcohol Problems (formerly The Temperance League of Ohio). He is a Methodist minister and is active in Linden Heights Methodist Church. C. Carlton Hartley, also a Methodist, is active in Glenwood Methodist Church. He is the publisher of Hartley Newspapers and holds a B.S. degree in journalism from Ohio State University. The third in this trio of judges is Dr. Robert J. Wherry, Sr., chairman of the Department of Psychology at Ohio State University. A former president of the Franklin County (Ohio) Christian Endeavor Union, he is currently active in the Columbus Area Adult Christian Endeavor Fellowship and serves as a director. He participates in Indianola Presbyterian Church and has served as a Sunday school teacher and as an usher.

Winners in the 1966 Citizenship Awards Program will be announced April 25. Award presentations will be arranged cooperatively by the International Society with Christian Endeavor leaders and/or local church leaders.

Belfast To Attract Thousands

Thousands of Christian Endeavorers of all nations will gather in Belfast, Northern Ireland, July 27-August 1, for the 15th World's Christian Endeavor Convention.

A power-packed program has been developed under the theme, "Jesus Christ Is Lord." Rev. F. Rupert Gibson, superintendent of the Irish Mission of the Presbyterian Church of Ireland, is chairman of the Program Committee and is also heading the Convention City Committee which is making all local arrangements.

Mass meetings will be held Wednesday through Sunday nights during the convention and on Saturday and Sunday afternoons. These outstanding Christian leaders from around the world will bring messages: T. George Thomas (Wales), M.P., minister of state in Her Majesty's Government and a Methodist lay-preacher; Dr. Daniel A. Poling (U.S.A.), honorary president for life of the World's Union; Dr. Leslie A. Newman, superintendent of the Dome Mission, Brighton, England; Bishop Hanns Lilje of Hannover, Germany; the Right Rev. Cuthbert Bardsley, Bishop of Coventry, England; and Bishop Clyde W. Meadows (U.S.A.), World's Union president.

King's Hall



Christian Endeavor leaders taking part in the various sessions will be Rev. Arno Pagel, president of the German Union; Rev. Andrew Wright (England) and Dr. James Kelly (Scotland), both vice-presidents of the World's Union; Harold E. Westerhoff (U.S.A.) and William J. Sharpe (England), World's Union general secretaries; Rev. Enrique Capo, president of the Spanish Union; Rev. Agostinho F. Arbiol, president of the Portuguese Union; Rev. Fred J. Nile, national director for the National Union of Australia; James D. Isaac, travelling secretary of the India Union; and Arch J. McQuilkin (U.S.A.), International Society president. Additional convention personalities include Rev. Walter Lohrman, Rev. Helmitt Shultz, and Gustav Winner of Germany; James Murdoch of Scotland; Alan J. Ramsey of England; and Gordon McMordie, Ralph E. Robrahn, Rev. Christian A. Tirre, and Phyllis I. Rike of the United States.

Major convention sessions will be held in the King's Hall on the Royal Ulster Agricultural Society Showgrounds at Balmoral, Belfast. A choir of 500 voices is being recruited to sing during the praise service before each major session.

On the opening day there will be a Civic Reception at the City Hall when the Lord Mayor of Belfast will greet overseas delegates. Bishop Meadows will open the convention Wednesday night, with Dr. Poling bringing the keynote message and Mr. Thomas speaking on the theme.

Stormont, seat of the Parliament



Dr. Newman will speak Thursday evening and Bishop Lilje will address the convention Friday night. At the Saturday evening session, when there will be the colorful Roll Call of Nations with the traditional flag exchange ceremony, the Bishop of Coventry will speak. Bishop Meadows, World's Union president, will speak at the Sunday evening closing session.

On Thursday afternoon there will be a Government Reception at the Parliament Houses at Stormont, with the Prime Minister of Northern Ireland receiving delegates. Other special convention features include an Open-Air Pageant of the Youth of the Nations Saturday afternoon in the Jumping Arena. Sunday afternoon delegates will join in a communion service directed by Rev. Andrew M. Adams, president of the Irish Union. Monday, August 1, will feature all-day excursions. The daily schedule Thursday, Friday, and Saturday mornings will begin with a Quiet Hour and Bible study period, followed by sectional conferences. At a general session Saturday morning the World's Union president, the general secretary, and the Area II general secretary will report. There will also be a Junior Demonstration, sight-seeing tours of Belfast, and other special events. On Sunday delegates will participate in local morning and evening church services. Many overseas delegates will occupy pulpits throughout the greater Belfast area.

During the convention there will be official meetings of the World's Union Finance Committee, Board of

Trustees, and the Council (Corporation). Election of officers for the next quadrennium will also take place, with installation Saturday night by Dr. Kelly.

Harold E. Westerhoff, general secretary of both the International Society and the World's Union, is directing a Vikingland Tour which will bring delegates to the convention from North America. Members of the tour party will leave New York City on July 24. Enroute to Belfast they will visit around Shannon; following the convention they will journey to Scotland, Norway, Sweden, Finland, Denmark, and West and East Berlin, meeting with Christian Endeavorers in many of these countries. The group returns to the United States on August 21.

The largest contingent of delegates will be a group of over one thousand coming from Germany on a liner, chartered for the duration of the convention by the German Union, which will be used as a floating hotel. Six members will be present from East Germany by special arrangement with the government there. A tour party will be coming from Australia, with groups also present from Spain, Portugal, Sweden, Norway, the Netherlands, Switzerland, Austria, Hungary, and New Zealand. Delegates are also expected from India, Japan, Egypt, and Africa.

Photographs below are from the Photographs Library of the Northern Ireland Tourist Board, Belfast.

Belfast Castle



Belfast City Hall



1966 SOCIETY HONOR ROLL

Societies and unions which have officially become members of the International Society of Christian Endeavor by financial support during the 1966 Society Roll Call during December, January, and February are listed here. Each of these organizations has received an enrollment certificate. Those receiving a gold seal certificate have contributed \$50 or more. Red seals are used on certificates to those giving \$30, while blue seals represent a contribution of \$15.

Each group listed, plus all those enrolling in March, is eligible to nominate one of its members as its 1966 Endeavorer of the Year. This is not a competition. Every group which enrolls and returns the special nomination form will receive a special wallet-size certificate of recognition for presentation to the person designated. Effort will be made to honor a different local Endeavorer of the Year in each issue of THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR WORLD.

Groups are arranged alphabetically by states and provinces. Others who enroll will be listed in future issues.

Gold Seal

Societies of Ebenezer Reformed Church, Morrison, Illinois
Junior and Intermediate, Chesterfield Christian Church, Des Moines, Iowa
Williston Church, Portland, Maine
Harlem Reformed Church, Holland, Michigan
Ottawa Reformed Church, Zeeland, Michigan
Somerset County Union, South Bound Brook, New Jersey
Board of Education, General Eldership of the Churches of God in North America, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania
Leverington Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Philadelphia County Union, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Red Seal

First United Brethren Church, Hillsdale, Michigan
Junior, Forest Grove Reformed Church, Hudsonville, Michigan
Adult Community, Evangelical United Brethren Church, Greenville, Pennsylvania
Dauphin County Union, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

Blue Seal

Capitol View Baptist Church, Washington, D. C.
First Baptist Church, Georgetown, Washington, D. C.
Golden Rule Union, Washington, D. C.

John Wesley A. M. E. Zion Church, Washington, D. C.
Nineteenth Street Baptist Church, Washington, D. C.
Third Baptist Church, Washington, D. C.
VDMA, First Christian Church, Merritt Island, Florida
Hawaiian Union, Honolulu, Hawaii
Honolulu County Union, Honolulu, Hawaii
Calumet Division, Chicago Union, Chicago, Illinois
Senior, First Reformed Church of Gano, Chicago, Illinois
Vermilion County Alumni Association, Danville, Illinois
Senior, First Reformed Church, Lansing, Illinois
Junior, Spring Valley Reformed Church, Morrison, Illinois
Alumni Council, United Congregational Church, Oak Park, Illinois
Junior, South Side Christian Church, Hammond, Indiana
Junior High, South Side Christian Church, Hammond, Indiana
Adult, Crestview United Brethren Church, Lafayette, Indiana
Junior High, Brooklyn Park United Brethren Church, Baltimore, Maryland
Carroll County Union, Union Bridge, Maryland
High School, Eighth Reformed Church, Grand Rapids, Michigan
Colwood Church of the United Brethren in Christ, Unionville, Michigan
Adult Alumni Department, New Jersey Union, Bloomfield, New Jersey

Lafayette Federated Church, Branchville, New Jersey
Queens County Union, Bayside, New York
Westchester Alumni, Katonah, New York
Junior Intermediate, Fort Washington Collegiate Church, New York, New York
Senior, Dutch Reformed Church, Woodstock, New York
North Carolina Union, Burlington, North Carolina
Adult, Central Tabernacle, Winston-Salem, North Carolina
Intermediate, Miles Avenue Church of Christ, Cleveland, Ohio
Junior, Miles Avenue Church of Christ, Cleveland, Ohio
Senior, Miles Avenue Church of Christ, Cleveland, Ohio
Senior, Sixth United Presbyterian Church, Cleveland, Ohio
Franklin County Union, Columbus, Ohio
Bykota, Southwood Church of Christ, Columbus, Ohio
Senior, United Presbyterian Church, Covington, Ohio
Oakdell United Brethren Church, Dayton, Ohio
Adult, Otterbein United Brethren Church, Rockford, Ohio
Wren Circuit, United Brethren in Christ Church, Van Wert, Ohio
Junior, Boulevard Evangelical Congregational Church, Allentown, Pennsylvania
Parkway Church of Christ, Allentown, Pennsylvania
Senior, King Street United Brethren Church, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania
Senior, Central Methodist Church, Connellsburg, Pennsylvania
Sunday School, Everson Evangelical United Brethren Church, Everson, Pennsylvania
Junior, Center United Presbyterian Church, Grove City, Pennsylvania
North Liberty United Presbyterian Church, Grove City, Pennsylvania
St. David's Lutheran and United Church of Christ, Hanover, Pennsylvania
Societies of Westmoor Church of Christ, Kingston, Pennsylvania
Junior, Trinity Evangelical Congregational Church, Lititz, Pennsylvania
Junior High, Trinity Evangelical Congregational Church, Lititz, Pennsylvania
Youth Vespers, Trinity Evangelical Congregational Church, Lititz, Pennsylvania
Doubling Gap Church of God, Newville, Pennsylvania
Montgomery County Union, Norristown, Pennsylvania
Northeast Branch Adult Fellowship, Philadelphia County Union, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Alumni, St. Paul's Reformed Episcopal Church, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Alumni, Zion German Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Doe Run United Presbyterian Church, Pomeroy, Pennsylvania
Mercer County Union, Sandy Lake, Pennsylvania
Mt. Washington United Brethren Church, York, Pennsylvania
Northport Christian Church, Newport, Tennessee
Allen Fellowship, Smith Chapel A. M. E. Church, Dallas, Texas
Senior High-Young People's, Bruton Road Christian Church, Dallas, Texas
Dallas District Union, Dallas, Texas
Adult, Jerusalem Chapel - United Brethren Church, Churchville, Virginia
Senior High, Mt. Olivet United Brethren in Christ Church, Churchville, Virginia
Hope Chapel, Norfolk, Virginia
Junior High, Village Presbyterian Church, Richmond, Virginia
Societies of Fifth Street United Brethren Church, Staunton, Virginia
Adult Fellowship, First Evangelical United Brethren Church, Martinsburg, West Virginia
Senior High, St. Andrews United Church, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada
Adult, New Dundee United Brethren Church, New Dundee, Ontario, Canada
Welland County Union, Ridgeway, Ontario, Canada
Lambton County Fellowship, Sarnia, Ontario, Canada
Adult, Sherkston United Brethren Church, Sherkston, Ontario, Canada
High School, Grace United Brethren Church, Sherkston, Ontario, Canada
Junior High, Alma Street United Brethren in Christ Church, Waterloo, Ontario, Canada
Georgetown, Elmslie Memorial Presbyterian Church, Grand Cayman, West Indies

Endeavorers of the Year selected by various local societies will be featured in future issues of THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR WORLD. Societies will receive a special nomination form.

NEWS

Heads Tar Heels

Bonnie Bowman, president of the North Carolina Union, is active at Central Tabernacle Church of Winston-Salem. She sings in the choir and is sponsor for the senior high society. She recently left her employment as editor in technical publications with Western Electric Company to study for a B.S. degree in education at Guilford College in Greensboro where she is a junior.

She has formerly served as vice-president of the North Carolina Union and as chairman of the Education Committee. She has conducted Christian Endeavor Essentials classes and, according to her associates, is a con-

stant source of enthusiasm and guidance.

Honors to New Jersey Leader

Rev. Allen A. Ruscito, assistant pastor and minister of Christian education of the First Presbyterian Church of Dunellen, New Jersey, was awarded a 1965 Vigilant Patriot Recognition Award at a luncheon April 2 in Washington, D.C. These awards are presented by the All-American Conference to Combat Communism. Mr. Ruscito was honored for his July 4 Senior High-Young People's topic treatment on "Free to Choose" which appeared in the June 1965 issue of THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR WORLD.

Sierra Leone Elects

At the third annual rally of the Sierra Leone Christian Endeavor Union held January 29-30 at Mattru, Jong, Audrey Fiederlein was elected president of the union. Miss Fiederlein is a former leader of the Ontario Christian Endeavor Union and is now serving as a mathematics teacher at the Centennial Secondary School at Mattru. Highlights of the rally program included Bible quiz contests for juniors and youth on Saturday, demonstrations of Christian Endeavor materials, sports events, films, a poster



JAPANESE ENDEAVORERS of Kinki District Union held a New Year Greeting Meeting January 15. The youth enjoyed discussion with Kojiro Hata, Japan Union chairman, during the luncheon hour (left), and had a good time playing active games, including this race (above left).

Photos by Rev. Izumi Watanabe



ENDEAVORERS IN ACTION



THE ANNUAL Poling Alumni Foundation banquet February 22 in Cleveland, Ohio, featured Dr. Daniel A. Poling as the speaker. Those at the head table included (from left) Joyce M. Gregory (the 1965 Endeavorer of the Year), Rev. Charles F. Russell (Ohio Union general secretary), Mrs. Russell, Dr. Poling, Allen Nace (Poling Foundation president), Norman E. Brown (Ohio Union president), Rev. Gregory, and Roy Nealings.

contest, plus inspirational meetings and a banquet Sunday noon. Approximately 300 attended the sessions.

The Sierra Leone Union is planning to send a delegate to the World's Convention in Belfast this summer.

Middle Atlantic Conference

Endeavorers of the Middle Atlantic Region will meet April 22-24 in Reading, Pennsylvania, for the annual regional conference. The program will begin Friday evening and includes a

variety of activities until the closing moments at 2:00 on Sunday. Lavern Billig, vice-president in charge of the Middle Atlantic Region, reports that the Abraham Lincoln Hotel will be the headquarters and offers special rates for delegates.

For complete details contact Mr. Billig at 18 Brockway Avenue, Greenville, Pennsylvania 16125.

ADULT WORK COMMITTEE members looking at the new Young Adult and Adult Topic Summaries (Series V) unit are shown as they met March 2 at Christian Endeavor Headquarters in Columbus to prepare Series VI Summaries. They are (seated) Rev. R. P. Carter (left) and Rev. Charles A. Matthews; (standing) Rev. Christian A. Tirre, International Society educational secretary, and Timothy J. Kribs (right), committee chairman.



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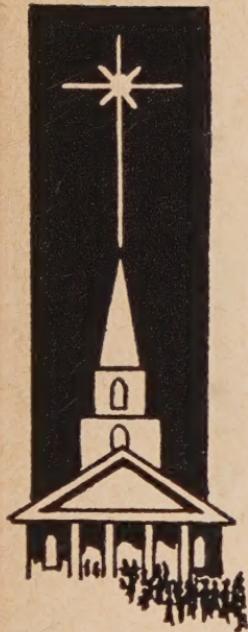
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By the
general secretary

HAROLD E.
WESTERHOFF



Your Will!

IS GOD in your Will? He was in Wilbur H. Hamilton's. And recently the International Society of Christian Endeavor received a check for Five Hundred Dollars in payment of the legacy bequeathed to it under the terms of the Will of the late civic, political, and religious leader of the City of Philadelphia. • The life of faith and service which Mr. Hamilton lived continues because his was a Christian Will. Because Wilbur Hamilton thought to remember God while he lived, so Wilbur Hamilton lives on and witnesses now as he did then. Many of the works undertaken during his lifetime, such as Christian Endeavor, will continue and be strengthened because Wilbur Hamilton had God in his Will. • The making of a Will by a Christian is part of the exercise of his Christian conviction and faith. It is a kind of stewardship after death that supports and continues a stewardship begun in life. Making a Will gives stewardship a dimension that reaches into eternity. • The Christian's Will makes firm his public witness of faith. It is evidence of his acknowledgment of the trusteeship of what God has entrusted to him. It provides for the disposition of his possessions as he might have decided. It insures the continuation after death of those things which were close to him in life. • Christian Endeavorers are urged to remember Christian Endeavor in their Wills. Consult your attorney or write to International Headquarters. Helpful information will be given. • Have you made a Will? Is God in it?

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